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McCallum & Cooper—Founders and Ma-

chutists.

W. C. & A. B. STRONACH—Fresh Groceries,

RESCUE STEAM FIRE COMPANY—See Notice.

R. R. & G. R. R. E.—Change of Schedule.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Meeting of Rescue Fire Company

to-morrow night.

Hon. C. C. Clarke, of Craven, is

in the city.

Regular communication of Wm.

G. Hill Lodge, No. 218, A. F. & A. M.,

at masonic hall to-morrow night.

The wet, wretched, vary, way-

farer waltzed woefully around on yes-

terday morning's ice.

The penitentiary board on yester-

day drew \$9,833.33 from the State treas-

ury for the support of the peniten-

tiary.

The board of county school exam-

iners on yesterday examined and award-

ed a first grade certificate to Mary E. H.

Boyd, colored, of St. Augustine Chapel.

A correspondent writes us that

Nense river, at Newbern, and far

above that point, is frozen over from

bank to bank, 13 miles in width.

Mr. A. M. McPheeters has moved

his office from over the store of Leach

Bros., to the third floor of the Adams

building, corner Wilmington and Mar-

tin streets.

The secretary of the Senate re-

quests us to ask the city pastors to

please inform him what days each will

be pleased to meet with the Senate and

open it with prayer.

The most exciting topic before

the Senate yesterday was one in rela-

tion to dentistry, and one of the sena-

tors said to the reading clerk, by way of

a side remark, that the question before

the house was like Vance's name—in

everybody's mouth.

Acknowledgment—The Work of the

Young Men's Christian Association.

The Young Men's Christian Association

desire to acknowledge with thanks

the receipt from the managers of \$37.

50, the proceeds in part of the play of

"Our American Cousin," given on

Thursday evening. We are informed

that a further amount will be turned

over to them from the same source in a

few days, which will be duly acknowl-

ed when received, in addition to the

above.

During the last ten days the association

have given out some seventy-five ratios,

and carried to the homes of the poor, one

hundred and twenty-two loads of one-

half cord each, of good wood. They

will be glad to receive contributions

from time to time from the citizens,

which will be judiciously expended.

The collections so far this season

amount to \$83.75.

Superior Court.

Court met yesterday morning at 10

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH

CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-77.

SENATE.

SATURDAY, JAN. 6.

The Senate was called to order at

10:30 a. m., Lieutenant Governor Jarvis

in the chair.

The journal of yesterday was read and

approved.

PETITIONS.

By Mr. Cunningham: A petition from

certain citizens of Northampton county

in relation to the illegal traffic in cotton.

Propositions and grievances.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Mr. Dortch, from the committee on

proposition and grievances; Mr. Seales,

from the committee on corporations;

Mr. Wilson, from the committee on ju-

diciary; Mr. Safford, from the com-

mittee on corporations (a bill proposing

to amend the charter of the city of

Newbern, and a minority report of Sena-

tor Thorne).

COMMUNICATIONS.

The commission appointed at the ses-

sion of 1874-75—Hon. Curtis H. Brogden,

Hon. R. F. Armfield and Hon. Jas.

Jas. L. Robinson—to purchase the

Western North Carolina Railroad, sub-

mitted a report of their action in that

matter. Read and ordered to be sent

to the House with a proposition to

print.

A message was received from the

House, announcing the passage of

certain bills and resolutions which had

been ordered engrossed and sent to the

Senate, asking concurrence. Approp-

riately returned.

BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Mr. Cunningham: A bill to protect

cotton planters. Propositions and griev-

ances.

By Mr. Bennett: An act to amend

chapter 60, laws of 1871-72, brought

forward in Battle's Revisal, chapter 63,

section 50, 51 and 52. Judiciary.

By Mr. Wilson: A bill to be entitled

an act to incorporate Winston Baptist

Church, Corporations.

By Mr. Safford: An act to amend

chapter 115 Battle's Revisal. Judiciary.

By Mr. Safford: An act to amend

chapter 29 Battle's Revisal, and chap-

ter 112, laws of 1874-75, amendatory there-

of. Judiciary.

By Moore, col., of New Hanover: A

bill to provide for the working of the

public ponds of the State. Propositions

and grievances.

By Mr. Latham: A bill to amend sec.

144, of chap. 17 of Battle's Revisal.

Judiciary.

By Mr. Latham: A bill to define and

declare the punishment for burglary.

Judiciary.

By Mr. Folk: A resolution in favor

of Curtis H. Brogden, James L. Rob-

inson and R. F. Armfield. [Propo-

sition to reimburse them for money actual-

ly spent by them in the prosecution of

their labors as commissioners of the

Western North Carolina Railroad, and

also to pay certain lawyers' fees.]

On motion of Mr. Moore, of Meck-

lenburg, the resolution was referred to

the committee on finance.

By Mr. Latham: A resolution instruct-

ing the Attorney General not to bring a

suit to recover the lands and dams of Deep

River. Calendar.

By Mr. Seales: A resolution in favor

of sheep husbandry. Calendar.

CALENDAR.

A bill to be entitled an act to amend

re-committed to the committee on in-

corporations.

The Senate then, on motion of Mr.

Crawford, adjourned until Monday

morning at 10 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Speaker Price called the House to

order at 11 a. m.

Mr. Ewing presented a petition of citi-

zens of Laurinburg, Richmond county,

against the incorporation of that town.

The petition was placed on the calen-

dar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Gulgler, from the committee on

propositions and grievances; Mr. Shack-

elford, from the committee on engross-

ed bills, submitted reports.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS.

By Mr. Hughes: A resolution in-

structing the Attorney General to bring

suit to recover bonds fraudulently issued

by the Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Rail-

road Company. Placed on calendar.

By Mr. Murray: A bill concerning

pleading in appeals from courts of jus-

tices of the peace. Judiciary com-

mittee.

By Mr. Goffroy: A bill to incorporate

the town of Beaufort, Carteret county.

Committee on corporations.

By Mr. Duggan: A bill to incorporate

the town of Sparta, Edgecombe county.

Committee on corporations.

By the same: A bill to incorporate

Repton Encampment I. O. O. F., Tar-

boro. Committee on corporations.

By Mr. Singletary: A bill for the

protection of legal notices. Committee

on judiciary.

By Mr. Powell: A bill in regard to

Senate, asking concurrence. Ordered to

DAILY NEWS.

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SPEECH

OF
M. H. PINNIX,
OF DAVIDSON.

Delivered in the House of Representatives of North Carolina on the 11th Day of December, 1876, on the Report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections in House Resolution No. 9, in the Matter of John W. Dunham, &c.

The following able speech from Mr. Pinnix, of Davidson, was crowded out of our columns at the time of its delivery. We produce it now, as it is a valuable contribution to the subject which it handles:

MR. SPEAKER:—I crave the indulgence of the House for a few moments in order that I may state the position occupied by those making the majority report.

There were numbers of questions submitted by a resolution of this House to the committee for their consideration, the most important of which, and the only ones necessary to a complete determination of the points involved, were 1st, Whether John W. Dunham is not entitled to a seat in this House, by reason of the votes cast for him at the late election? 2nd, Is Alfred Lloyd, the sitting member, entitled to a seat in this House, from Fender county? and 3rd, Are James Wilson and Joseph C. Hill, the sitting members, entitled to seats in this House, from New Hanover county?

The claim of Major Dunham to a seat on this floor is based on the unconstitutionality of the act ratified November 1875, which sought to give Fender county a representative, and New Hanover two instead of three as heretofore, and is provided in sections four and five of article II. of the constitution, to submit this syllogism: 1st, The seats of Hill, Wilson and Lloyd, the sitting members from Fender and New Hanover, cannot be declared vacant unless the act ratified March 8th, 1875, is unconstitutional; 2nd, A statute is assumed to be valid, unless some one claims whose rights it invades. Wilmington, Petitioner, 16, Pick 96. 3rd, There is no one here complaining that his rights have been invaded. Therefore, the present sitting members, holding their seats by certificates in due form of law, under said statute are entitled to their seats, and therefore, as there are but three seats to be filled, and the three members are entitled to them, Major Dunham cannot be seated.

If the act in question is constitutional, there is no pretense by any one, neither by the majority nor minority report, nor even by Major Dunham himself, that the latter is entitled to a seat or that the present sitting members are not entitled. The gentleman from Chatham (Mr. Moving) argues that in order to determine whether Major Dunham and the three sitting members are entitled to their seats, we are compelled to pass upon the constitutionality of the act in question. I beg leave respectfully to differ from my courteous friend. I will now endeavor to succinctly state my position on that point. As I said above, if the act is constitutional Major Dunham has no claim, as all admit—if the act is unconstitutional, he still has no claim, as both reports agree, and in support of that position both the majority and the minority cite *The People vs. Concessors of Kent County*, 11 Mich. 111. So that in either event Major Dunham is not entitled to a seat. And we decide this question of Major Dunham's claim to a seat without being driven to the necessity of passing upon the constitutionality of the act.

This completely disposes of the claim of Major Dunham. Now, that he is out of the way who is to complain? I think we ought to let the matter drop here. That we followed law and precedent in deciding upon Major Dunham's claim on other grounds than the unconstitutionality of a solemn act of the Legislature, I desire to read from Cooley's Constitutional Limitations, page 163: "In any case where a constitutional question is raised, though it be legitimately presented by the record, yet if the record also presents some other and clear ground upon which the court may rest its judgment, and thereby render the constitutional question immaterial to the case, that course will be adopted, and the question of constitutional power will be left for consideration until a case arises which cannot be disposed of without considering it, and when, consequently, a decision upon such a question will be unavoidable."

Having disposed, Mr. Speaker, of the first question, to wit: "Is John W. Dunham entitled to a seat on this floor?" we now come to the second and third questions. We say there is no one complaining (if Maj. Dunham complained he is now out of the way) and we ought not to extend the inquiry further.

I take these grounds: I could very much wish whether a Legislature, much less the House branch and still less a committee of the latter, can legally exercise judicial powers. I do not say absolutely that the Legislature cannot do so, but I do say it can't ought to be very cautious in exercising the right. In support of this position I refer to the same book, Cooley's Con. Lim. page 88; "I entertain no doubt," says Cooley, "that, as a matter of the special limitation of the constitution, the Legislature cannot exercise powers which are in their nature essentially judicial or executive." Again, on page 89: "The legislative power is the authority under the constitution to make laws, and to alter and repeal them." On page 90: "The legislative power extends only to the making of laws, and in its exercise it is limited and restrained by the paramount authority of the Federal and State constitutions. It cannot directly reach the property or vested rights of the citizen by providing for their forfeiture or transfer to another, without trial and judgment in the courts; for to do so would be the exercise of a power which belongs to the

other branch of the government and is forbidden to the Legislature." On page 94: "To declare what the law is, or has been, is a judicial power; to declare what the law shall be is legislative. One of the fundamental principles of our government is, that the legislative power shall be separate from the judicial."

These authorities are quoted to show the questionable authority of a legislative body to exercise judicial functions in declaring acts of the Legislature invalid. I know full well that our constitution provides that "Each House shall be judge of the qualifications and elections of its own members." I do not differ from the gentleman from Chatham as to the wording of the constitution on that point, but I do differ with him as to their application, or as to the power derived from that provision. That the Legislature can decide certain kinds of judicial questions, I do not deny. For instance, in the case of Mabson, a few years ago, the Legislature, *ex mero motu*, instituted inquiry whether Mabson had resided in the county he was assuming to represent, the requisite time required by the constitution. In the case of J. Williams, Thomas in the last Legislature, the Legislature again instituted inquiry as to whether he was not ineligible by reason of the constitutional inhibition against "All persons who shall deny the being of Almighty God." If these cases they were called on to apply the facts to the law—the organic law—in our case we are called on not to apply facts to law, but to apply law to law; that is to say, whether a statute law is not against the organic law. So much as to the power of a Legislature to exercise judicial powers, and as to each House being judge of the qualifications of its own members.

I come now to the point that if the Legislature has the right to exercise judicial power, it ought not to do so except where there is a direct proceeding by a person interested. Cooley Con. Lim. pages 163-4 says, "The court will not listen to an objection made to the constitutionality of an act by a party whose rights it does not affect, and who has therefore no interest in defeating it." "A statute is assumed to be valid, unless some one complains whose rights it invades," *prima facie*, and on the face of the act itself, nothing will generally appear to show that the act is not valid; and it is only when some person attempts to resist its operation, and calls in the aid of the judicial power to pronounce it void, as to him, his property or his rights, that the objection of unconstitutionality can be presented and sustained. Wilmington, Petitioner, 16 Pick 96 *Supra*.

The next point I make is this: Suppose we say, for argument's sake, the Legislature can exercise judicial functions, and that *ex mero motu*, and without a direct proceeding for that purpose it can decide that an act is unconstitutional. I still have another intrenchment into which I safely fall back. That intrenchment is discretion. Assuming that the Legislature has all the powers the gentleman from Chatham claims for it, it is always right and expedient and politic to exercise it? The same high authority which I have quoted and which my friend freely quotes, on page 182 says: "A statute should never be declared void, unless the nullity and invalidity of the act are placed beyond reasonable doubt. A reasonable doubt must be solved in favor of the legislative action, and the act sustained." Again, Chief Justice Marshall in the case of *Fletcher v. Peck*, 6 Cranch 128, says: "The question whether a law be void for its repugnance to the constitution, is at all times a question of delicacy, which ought seldom, if ever, to be decided in the affirmative in a doubtful case. And Mr. Justice Washington said: "It is but a decent respect due to the wisdom, the integrity and the patriotism of the legislative body by which any law is passed, to presume in favor of its validity, until its violation of the constitution is proved beyond all reasonable doubt." Now, I ask is this such a case that the Legislature ought to exercise its discretion in the direction of pronouncing a law unconstitutional and ordering a new election, putting the people and tax-payers to the expense of holding another election, especially since we know the same members or some of a like stripe will be sent back. I do not say that the act in question is or is not constitutional. Nor do I say that if the act is unconstitutional there ought not to be a new election. I say we are stopped from deciding those points for the reasons and under the weight of the law I have above given.

Mr. Speaker, I will touch upon one other point and then forbear.

Accompanying the minority report are three resolutions, viz:

1. Resolved, That John W. Dunham is not entitled to his seat.
2. Resolved, That the seats of Lloyd, Hill and Wilson be declared vacant; and
3. Resolved, That the Speaker of this House inform the Governor that the seats of three members of this House from the county of New Hanover are vacant, to the end that an election may be held to fill the same.

When the Governor gets this information, he issues his proclamation to the officers whose duty it is to conduct the election, and they must either hold the election under the act of March 8, 1875, (for it stands on the statute book un repealed) or else they must exercise judicial powers and declare it unconstitutional; or else the executive must exercise judicial powers, and in his proclamation declare the act invalid.

Here is an act of the Legislature unrepudiated which all executive officers must observe and enforce, which this House attempts to repeal by passing a mere resolution in one branch of the Assembly when the law requires that in order to repeal an act a bill must be read three times in each House, passed and ratified. We very plainly see into what an absurd position we place ourselves by adopting this minority report and passing this resolution.

But the gentlemen on the other side say that we must decide on the constitutionality of the act and declare the election void in order to establish a precedent. If that be the grounds, we ought not to take that course for the reason that it is not likely a case of this kind will occur again in a hundred years; while on the other hand if we adopt the minority report every member who may hereafter suspect that another member is not fully qualified, he will introduce resolutions of inquiry and according to the gentlemen, the Legislature would be bound to fully investigate every case, and thereby take up about half the time of the General Assembly.

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